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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing the response to the Final Office Action mailed on June 15, 2005.

The requested extension is for one (1) month, extending the period for response from September 15, 2004 to October 15, 2005.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date, October 14, 2005, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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Enclosed is Check No. 579528 in the amount of \$60.00 for the one (1) month extension of time fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge for any additional required fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. <u>07-1896</u>. A copy of the Transmittal Sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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